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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Re: Serial No. 78/650328 Mark: Sterling Audio

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EVIDENCE

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Signature: /Mary Vidal Hays/ Date: 09/07/2007

Signatory's Name: Mary Vidal Hays Signatory's Position: Attorney

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UAV Corporation

In the second quarter of 2006, American Capital realized a loss of \$15 million from the sale of its senior subordinated debt investment in UAV Corporation. UAV is a national distributor of pre-recorded video VHS tapes, audio CDs, DVDs, music audiocassettes and software. The proceeds received by American Capital were less than the first quarter 2006 valuation of the investment by \$3 million, or 100%.

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From its IPO through the first quarter of 2006, American Capital has earned an 18% compounded annual return on 124 exits and prepayments of senior debt, subordinated debt and equity investments, totaling \$2.9 billion of invested capital, including interest, dividends, fees and net gains on these investments. These exits and prepayments represent 31% of all amounts invested by American Capital since its August 1997 IPO.

For a chart showing American Capital's realized gains as of the end of Q1 2006, click here.

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Freeman and the Allumination team recognized that the home entertainment and television industries are more selective than ever in their programming decisions. As a result, Allumination waged a full-scale acquisition drive to secure a wide range of film and television titles that would sell-through for retailers and attract audiences for broadcasters.

Allumination also recognized that independent entertainment suppliers must back up their programming with comprehensive consumer marketing support. As a result, Allumination sought out seasoned marketing professionals who joined the company with an extensive track record of success in all areas of television and home video.

Allumination also understood the need on the part of television programmers and video retailers for diversity. As a result, the company has succeeded in building substantial libraries of theatrical motion pictures, television series, documentaries and reality programming, music and sports specials, lifestyle titles, and a wide array of "how-to" product.

Most importantly, Allumination recognized the vital importance of establishing outstanding relationships with the production community. As a result, Allumination has created a new template that will forever redefine distributor-producer associations. Allumination is the apex where artists can bring their art to light and truly shine. The company's philosophy is that the road to success begins by appreciating the producer's vision and objectives. Allumination does not seek to merely represent a producer's title. Instead, the company forms full partnerships with producers. Allumination makes the producer a valuable - and valued - part of the distribution and marketing process.

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Entertainment industry veterans <u>Jeff Sagansky</u> and <u>Kerry McCluggage</u> acquired Allumination FilmWorks in March 2005. Both afford the company truly unmatched experience within the global entertainment arenas. Under the new ownership, Allumination will become even more aggressive in their acquisition strategies as well as within the international global market.

Key behind the company's rapid rise to prominence is its stellar management team of recognized industry professionals, led by Chief Executive Officer **Cheryl A. Freeman**. With over 15 years experience in home video and television, Freeman has served in senior-level roles with several high-profile independent entertainment leaders prior to joining Allumination.

Together with her senior management team, Freeman implemented an aggressive business plan that called for amassing an expansive library of quality film and television entertainment in all major genres, and attracting the best possible executives in all areas of finance and administration, product acquisition, sales and marketing and global distribution.

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Says Freeman: "At Allumination, we are committed to the producer as well as to the programmer and retailer. We strive to pay producers respect as well as revenues, by welcoming them as hands-on business partners. In essence, our philosophy is that passion drives success - not a simple 'advance.' Allumination is built on passion, and the worldwide entertainment marketplace is responding."

After only a few years, Allumination boasts an impressive portfolio of nearly 200 quality theatricals in all major categories, as well as over 4,000 hours of television programming, along with music specials and kids/family feature titles for television, cable and home video/DVD distribution markets worldwide.

With its focus on high-demand, under-served consumer markets, Allumination will present an appealing roster of horror and science fiction, alternative lifestyle, ethnic and family titles to the burgeoning digital distribution, VOD, DVD and home video sell-through retail industry. The company's release plans call for a minimum of 2-10 titles per month entering the DVD/Video sell-through marketplace.

The unique message of Allumination is already resonating with producers, home video rental stores, mass merchants, online retailers and digital content providers throughout the United States and around the world.

"More and more, consumers are demanding entertainment that meets their own singular interests. One of the most important words in today's everevolving sell-through market is 'niche' - and Allumination will fill niches across every key category of entertainment," said Freeman.

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Sep 5, 2006 -- In the Spotlight --

ALLUMINATION FILMWORKS LLC AND THE NEWLY ACQUIRED UAV
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COMPANY WILL RETAIN THE NAME ALLUMINATION FILMWORKS IN NORTH AMERICA

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LOS ANGELES - Allumination FilmWorks (AFW), a leading independent entertainment company, along with its recent acquisition of UAV Corporation has been acquired by the UK-based company, ContentFilm plc, a publicly owned company. As a result, AFW is now a wholly owned subsidiary of ContentFilm plc. This acquisition was finalized today by AFW owners Kerry McCluggage and Jeff Sagansky. The newly-integrated company will be led by McCluggage as Chairman and Cheryl Freeman as Chief Executive Officer. The company will retain the name Allumination FilmWorks in North America. With the purchase, the company now holds an existing library of approximately 700 titles for U.S. domestic DVD distribution. Additionally, AFW also has domestic TV rights as well as international TV/DVD rights to these titles. The company will continue to aggressively pursue product for all avenues of distribution as well as expand its audio division. The UAV business adds a level of children's and family content to the library.

"We are pleased to have closed the second step in this transaction and are genuinely excited about the prospects for this company's continued growth." commented McCluggage, AFW Chairman. "Together with Cheryl Freeman, our UK-based partners, and the newly combined team, we plan to aggressively work to create an even more significant U.S. DVD operation and a full-service distribution platform."

"We are excited with the expansion of the UAV library and team," says Freeman. "The addition of this product to our library gives us an opportunity to reach markets we have previously not sought. Our relationship with ContentFilm plc affords us a tremendous opportunity with experienced partners and complementary skills."

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE EXAMINER OF TRADEMARKS

Mark: STERLING

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Assistant Commissioner for Trademarks 2900 Crystal Drive Arlington, VA 22202-3513

2,120,249.

Applicant, UAV Corporation, is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of South Carolina located and doing business at Post Office Box 549, Fort Mill, South Carolina, 29716.

Applicant requests registration of the above-identified trademark shown in the accompanying drawing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on the Principal Register established by the Act of July 5, 1946 (15 U.S.C. 1051 et. seq., as amended.) for blank audio and video tapes, radios, head cleaning tapes cassette players and batteries in International Class 9.

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Applicant is the owner of U.S. Trademark Registration Nos. 1,721,642 and

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Applicant hereby appoints Dalbert U. Shefte (Registration No. 18,174), Francis M. Pinckney (Registration No. 21,138), Karl S. Sawyer, Jr. (Registration No. 28,902), Chad D. Tillman (Registration No. 38,634), Nancy Talavera Wood (Registration No. 38,334), Michael A.



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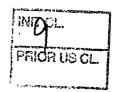
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